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TO AMEMBASSY BRASILIA

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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR RELEASE OF BLOCKED VIETNAMESE
FUNDS

1. IN PRINCIPLE, WE WOULD HAVE NO OBJECTION TO TRANSFER
OF FUNDS FROM BLOCKED DOLLAR ACCOUNT TO COVER OVERDRAWAL
OF CRUZEIRO ACCOUNT IF PAYMENTS FROM LATTER ARE FOR
LEGITIMATE EXPENDITURES CONCERNED WITH OPERATION AND
TERMINATION OF VIETNAMESE EMBASSY. EMBASSY MAY INDICATE
THIS TO BRASILIA BRANCH OF FIRST NATIONAL CITY BANK.
HOWEVER, WE WOULD PREFER MAKE RECOMMENDATION TO TREASURY
FOR UNBLOCKING ON BASIS EMBASSY'S BEST ESTIMATE OF
TOTAL TERMINATION COSTS. FOR THIS PURPOSE WE WOULD ACCEPT
APRIL-JUNE STAFF SALARY PAYMENTS AS LEGITIMATE EMBASSY
EXPENSE. IF EMBASSY UNABLE MAKE THIS RECOMMENDATION AT
THIS TIME AND STAFF REQUIRES EARLY SALARY PAYMENTS, HOWEVER,
WE WOULD BE PREPARED AUTHORIZE INITIAL WITHDRAWALS FROM
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DOLLAR ACCOUNT AT FNCB WITH POSSIBILITY LATER WITHDRAWAL

WHEN REFINED ESTIMATE AVAILABLE.

2. TREASURY TODAY (JUNE 6) RECEIVED APPLICATION FOR
LICENSE TO PERMIT WITHDRAWAL ABOUT \$6,000 FROM BLOCKED
DOLLAR ACCOUNT. WE ASSUME THIS IS TO COVER OVERDRAWAL
OF CRUZERIRO ACCOUNT. TREASURY WILL LICENSE THIS ON OUR

RECOMMENDATION. MEANWHILE WE WILL WAIT FOR EMBASSY
ESTIMATE ON TOTAL AMOUNT TO BE UNBLOCKED. KISSINGER

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